

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS

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NOTE: A vertical line in the RIGHT MARGIN of sections I, V, VI, VII indicates new information.

BNM numbers not found in the Local Notice to Mariners pertain to informational Broadcasts and not discrepancies.

The following Broadcast Notice to Mariners (BNM's) have been issued since last week:

BROADCAST NOTICE TO MARINERS

First District	CG1-	0007	to	0011
Group Boston	BOS-	0006	to	0028
Group Long Island Sound	LIS-	0012	to	0014
Group Moriches	MOR-	0006	to	0010
Group New York	NEW-	0026	to	0038
Group Portland	POR-	0008	to	0009
Group Southwest Harbor	SWH-	0003	to	0004
Group Woods Hole	WHO-	0009	to	0018

Light List Reference: ATLANTIC COAST, VOLUME 1, COMDTPUB P16502.1, 2003 Edition

I SPECIAL NOTICES This section contains information of Special concern to the Mariner.

NEW YORK STATE CANAL SYSTEM CHANGES

For information and updates to the New York Canal System please call 1-800-4CANAL4 or visit the New York State Canal System web site at

www.canals.state.ny.us.

LNM 43/01 (CGD1)

NOTICE TO ALL PRIVATE BOATS AT SEA

United States laws and regulations require that **ALL** private boats arriving from a foreign port or place **MUST** report to the Bureau of Customs and Border Protection **IMMEDIATELY** upon their arrival into the United States. Every person entering the United States must be seen in person for immigration purposes by a Customs and Border Protection officer, except those participating in the I-68 "Canadian Border Boat Landing Program". However, holders of form I-68 are still required to report their arrival into the United States to the Bureau of Customs and Border Protection. Masters and passengers must provide proof of citizenship or legal immigration status, and be in possession of a valid passport and visa, if required. Citizens of countries that are participants in the Visa Waiver Program are not eligible to seek admission to the United States under that program via private vessel. Once your boat is anchored or tied, you are considered to have entered the United States. No one may leave the vessel until Customs and Border Protection grants permission.

The only exception to this requirement is to report arrival. In order to fulfill the requirement to immediately report a private boat arrival, the master of the vessel must contact the nearest Customs and Border Protection Office, or if the arrival occurs after business hours, the nearest 24 hour port of entry. Upon reporting, you may be required to proceed to a staffed port for inspection by Customs and Border Protection. Failure to comply with these requirements could result in serious criminal and civil penalties, including seizure of the boat. International mariners are urged to report any suspicious or illegal activity to the Bureau of Customs and Border Protection at 1-800-BE-ALERT.

LNM 29/03 (CGD1)

NEW ENGLAND – ICE CONDITIONS – CAUTION CONCERNING AIDS

The formation of various types of ice along the New England Coast and its rivers, and ice movement caused by winds, tides, and currents may result in floating aids to navigation being extinguished, off-station or missing. Fixed Aids to navigation may be destroyed and drawbridges rendered inoperative. Icing on buoys may result in their being partially submerged and/or misleading as to daymark, color characteristic and numerals possibly missing. Sound signals on buoys may be inoperative. Because of ice conditions and without prior notice, certain lighted buoys and sound buoys may be removed from station without replacement, whereas others may be replaced by unlighted buoys. Mariners are cautioned to exercise discretion in using aids to navigation in areas where ice conditions are known to prevail. The Coast Guard will prioritize ice breaking to meet most emergent needs with all available assets. Waterborne transportation delays can be expected. Industry needs to maintain reasonable expectations and consider self-reliant arrangements in the event the Coast Guard is unable to provide service inside of desired time frames.

LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

II DISCREPANCIES This section lists all discrepancies to Aids to Navigation reported and corrected since the last published list. A discrepancy is a change in the status of an aid to navigation that differs from what is published and or charted.

DISCREPANCIES (since last week)

LLNR	Name of Aid	Status	Chart Affected	BNM Ref.	LNM Ref.
360	Marblehead Light	LT EXT	13276	BOS-0028-04	03/04
7575	Ram Island Ledge Light	LT EXT	13292	CGI-0001-04	03/04
8300	York Harbor Buoy 11	BUOYSINK	13283	POR-0009-04	03/04
9020	Merrimack River Lighted Buoy 7	LT IMCH	13282	BOS-0024-04	03/04
9035	Merrimack River Lighted Buoy 8	LT IMCH	13282	BOS-0025-04	03/04
9050	Merrimack River Lighted Buoy 13	LT EXT	13282	BOS-0026-04	03/04
10590	Lynn Harbor Channel Lighted Buoy 10	OFF STA	13275	BOS-0010-04	03/04
10820	President Roads Anchorage LB B	OFF STA	13272	BOS-0011-04	03/04
10855	President Roads Anchorage LB D	OFF STA	13272	BOS-0012-04	03/04
11050	Winthrop Harbor Approach Lighted Buoy 5	LT DIM	13272	BOS-0017-04	03/04
11397	Nantasket Roads Bell Buoy 10A	OFF STA	13270	BOS-0027-04	03/04
11695	Western Way Lighted Buoy WW	OFF STA	13270	BOS-0023-04	03/04
11750	Weymouth Fore River Channel LB 25	OFF STA	13270	BOS-0020-04	03/04
11895	Weymouth Back River Channel Buoy 3	OFF STA/LT IMCH	13270	BOS-0008-04	03/04
14565	Lewis Bay Approach Channel Buoy 8	OFF STA	13229	WHO-0017-04	03/04
14715	Southwest Rock Buoy 2SR	MISSING	13229	WHO-0012-04	03/04
15180	Nantucket Harbor Channel Buoy 6	OFF STA	13242	WHO-0014-04	03/04
15185	Nantucket Harbor Channel Buoy 7	OFF STA	13242	WHO-0015-04	03/04
16210	Hog Island Channel Lighted Buoy 16	OFF STA	13236	WHO-0018-04	03/04
18310	Providence River Channel Lighted Buoy 15	LT DIM	13224	WHO-0013-04	03/04
19830	Little Gull Island Light	FS WEAK	13212	LIS-0012-04	03/04
26000	Cuban Ledge Junction Lighted Buoy CL	LT EXT	12366	NEW-0026-04	03/04
27480	Flushing Bay Channel Lighted Buoy 5	BUOYSINK	12339	NEW-0035-04	03/04
28400	Shelter Island Sound South Ch Buoy 14	OFF STA	12358	MOR-0010-04	03/04
30910	Jones Inlet Lighted Buoy 2	LT EXT	12352	MOR-0009-04	03/04
31485	State Boat Channel Buoy 87	OFF STA	12352	MOR-0007-04	03/04
34405	Beach Channel Lighted Buoy 5	MISS	12350	NEW-0033-04	03/04
34965	Gowanus Flats Lighted Bell Buoy 24	LT EXT	12334	NEW-0037-04	03/04
36780	Arthur Kill Channel Lighted Buoy 20	LT EXT	12331	NEW-0036-04	03/04
38785	Hudson River Light 180	DBN DEST	12348	NEW-0031-04	03/04

DISCREPANCIES CORRECTED

LLNR	Name of Aid	Status	Chart Affected	BNM Ref.	LNM Ref.
520	Chatham Beach Lighted Whistle Buoy C	WATCHING PROPERLY	13248	WHO-0255-03	51/03
535	Pollock Rip Entrance LWB PR	WATCHING PROPERLY	13248	CGI-0503-03	52/03
540	Great Round Shoal Ch Entrance LWB GRS	WATCHING PROPERLY	13244	WHO-0253-03	50/03
3630	Penobscot River Buoy 11	WATCHING PROPERLY	13309	SWH-0003-04	03/04
3790	The Reach Ledge Lighted Buoy 9	WATCHING PROPERLY	13305	SWH-0004-04	03/04
4845	Goose Rock Ledge Buoy 1	WATCHING PROPERLY	13301	POR-0003-04	02/04
7515	Corwin Rock Lighted Bell Buoy 3	WATCHING PROPERLY	13290	POR-0088-02	49/02
10590	Lynn Harbor Channel Lighted Buoy 10	WATCHING PROPERLY	13275	BOS-0006-04	03/04
10695	Boston North Channel Lighted Buoy 4	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0005-04	02/04
11655	Weymouth Fore River Channel LB 4	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0016-04	03/04
11660	Weymouth Fore River Channel LB 5	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0013-04	03/04
11706	Weymouth Fore River Channel LB 12	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0018-04	03/04
11730	Weymouth Fore River Channel LB 18	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0014-04	03/04
11740	Weymouth Fore River Channel LB 22	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0019-04	03/04
11755	Weymouth Fore River Channel LB 26	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0015-04	03/04
11760	Weymouth Fore River Channel LB 28	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0021-04	03/04
11895	Weymouth Back River Channel Buoy 3	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	BOS-0007-04	03/04
13280	Long Point Shoal Lighted Bell Buoy 3	WATCHING PROPERLY	13249	WHO-0263-03	52/03
14560	Lewis Bay Approach Channel Buoy 7	WATCHING PROPERLY	13229	WHO-0016-04	03/04
15135	Nantucket Bar Lighted Bell Buoy NB	WATCHING PROPERLY	13242	WHO-0009-04	03/04
15350	Muskeget Channel LiWB MC	WATCHING PROPERLY	13233	WHO-0257-03	51/03

15475	Vineyard Haven Light 7	WATCHING PROPERLY	13233	WHO-0010-04	03/04
15655	Little Harbor Channel Lighted Buoy 2	WATCHING PROPERLY	13233	WHO-0007-04	02/04
18310	Providence River Channel Lighted Buoy 15	SEE ABOVE	13224	WHO-0011-04	03/04
21325	Eatons Neck Light	WATCHING PROPERLY	12365	LIS-0014-04	03/04
21435	Prospect Point Lighted Gong Buoy 23	WATCHING PROPERLY	12367	NEW-0007-04	01/04
24045	New Haven Harbor Channel LB 4	WATCHING PROPERLY	12371	LIS-0013-04	03/04
25715	Hen and Chickens Northeast LBB 1	WATCHING PROPERLY	12367	NEW-0004-04	01/04
27235	East River Main Channel LB 6	WATCHING PROPERLY	12339	NEW-0030-04	03/04
29045	Shinnecock Inlet Lighted Buoy 4	WATCHING PROPERLY	12352	MOR-0008-04	03/04
34885	Ambrose Channel Lighted Bell Buoy 14	WATCHING PROPERLY	12402	NEW-0010-04	01/04
36205	Raritan Bay Channel Lighted Buoy 31	WATCHING PROPERLY	12331	NEW-0024-04	02/04
36845	Arthur Kill Channel Lighted Buoy 43	WATCHING PROPERLY	12327	NEW-0034-04	03/04
36891	Bay Ridge Channel Lighted Gong Buoy 11	WATCHING PROPERLY	12334	NEW-0027-04	03/04
36955	Bay Ridge Channel Anchorage LB A	WATCHING PROPERLY	12334	NEW-0023-04	02/04
37105	Bayonne Terminal Channel Lighted BB 2	WATCHING PROPERLY	12334	NEW-0025-04	02/04
37385	Newark Bay Channel Lighted Buoy 2	WATCHING PROPERLY	12333	NEW-0032-04	03/04
37669	Hudson River Lighted Buoy 3	WATCHING PROPERLY	12345	NEW-0028-04	03/04

DISCREPANCIES (PRIVATE AIDS)

LLNR	Name of Aid	Status	Chart Affected	BNM Ref.	LNM Ref.
13026	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By A	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13027	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By B	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13028	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone LB C	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13030	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By E	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13031	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By F	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13032	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By G	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13033	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By H	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13034	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By I	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13034.1	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone LB J	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13034.2	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By K	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04
13034.3	Pilgrim Power Plant Security Zone By L	OFF STA	13246	WHO-0264-03	03/04

DISCREPANCIES (PRIVATE AIDS) CORRECTED

LLNR	Name of Aid	Status	Chart Affected	BNM Ref.	LNM Ref.
NONE THIS WEEK					

III TEMPORARY CHANGES – TEMPORARY CHANGES CORRECTED This section contains temporary changes and corrections to Aids to Navigation for the current week. When aids are temporarily relocated for dredging, a temporary correction shall be listed in Section IV giving the new position.

TEMPORARY CHANGES

LLNR	Name of Aid	Status	Chart Affected	BNM Ref.	LNM Ref.
30875	Shinnecock Bay Lighted Buoy 34	TRUB	12352	MOR-0006-04	03/04

TEMPORARY CHANGES CORRECTED

LLNR	Name of Aid	Status	Chart Affected	BNM Ref.	LNM Ref.
11514	Pedlocks Island Channel Buoy 2P	WATCHING PROPERLY	13270	CG1-0044-03	06/03
19685	Block Island Northeast Whistle Buoy 5	WATCHING PROPERLY	13217	CG1-0211-03	20/03

IV CHART CORRECTIONS

This section contains corrections to federal and private maintained Aids to Navigation, as well as NOS corrections.

This section contains corrective actions affecting chart(s). Corrections appear numerically by chart number, and pertain to that chart only. The mariner must decide which Chart(s) to correct. The following example explains the individual elements of a typical chart correction.

Chart Number	Chart Edition	Edition Date	Last Local Notice to Mariners	Horizontal Datum Reference	Source of Correction	Current Local Notice to Mariners
12327	91 st Ed.	04/19/97	LAST LNM 26/97	NAD 83	(CG1)	27/97
(TEMP) NY-NJ-NEW YORK HARBOR - RARITAN RIVER						
Add	National Dock Channel Buoy 3, green can					40°41'09.0"N 074°02'48.1"W
Corrective Action	Object of corrective Action					Position
						(Degrees, minutes, seconds and tenths)

The letter (M) immediately following the chart number indicates that the correction should be applied to the Metric side of the chart only. (Temp) Indicates that the chart correction action is temporary in nature. Courses and bearings are given in degrees clockwise from 000 true. Bearings of light sectors are toward the light from seaward. The nominal range of lights is expressed in nautical miles (NM).

13221 (TEMP)	53rd ed., 7/21/2001 LAST LNM: 51/03 NARRAGANSETT BAY	NAD 83 03/04	
ADD	Fuller Reach Coast Guard Mooring Buoy, White and blue		CGD01 41-47-27.286N 071-22-39.307W
13224 (TEMP)	36th ed., 12/1/2001 LAST LNM: 32/03 PROVIDENCE RIVER AND HEAD OF NARRAGANSETT BAY	NAD 83 03/04	
ADD	Fuller Reach Coast Guard Mooring Buoy, White and blue		CGD01 41-47-27.286N 071-22-39.307W
13225 (TEMP)	33rd ed., 12/9/2000 LAST LNM: 06/01 PROVIDENCE HARBOR	NAD 83 03/04	
ADD	Fuller Reach Coast Guard Mooring Buoy, White and blue		CGD01 41-47-27.286N 071-22-39.307W
13270	60th ed., 9/14/2003 LAST LNM: 50/03 BOSTON HARBOR	NAD 83 03/04	
ADD	Peddocks Island Channel Buoy 2P, Red nun (PREVIOUSLY TEMP DELETED)	06/03	CGD01 42-17-58.000N 070-57-12.000W

The Dates of Latest Editions, Nautical Charts and Miscellaneous Maps, dated **1 January 2004**, published by the National Ocean Service, is available for issue. It may be obtained free by mail from the National Aeronautical Charting Office, AVN-530, Federal Aviation Administration, 6303 Ivy Lane, Suite 400, Greenbelt MD, 20770-1479, by telephone at 1-800-638-8972 or from your local authorized nautical chart sales agent. This is a quarterly publication listing the most recent editions of nautical charts, miscellaneous maps and publications relating to navigation, weather, etc. with brief descriptions and up-to-date prices for most of the publications listed. Much of this information may also be obtained online at: <http://chartmaker.ncd.noaa.gov/mcd/dole.htm>
LNM 03/04 (NOS SILVER SPRING MD)

V ADVANCE NOTICES This section contains advance notice of approved projects or upcoming temporary changes such as dredging, etc. Mariners are advised to use caution while transiting these areas.

SUMMARY OF ADVANCED APPROVED PROJECTS			
WATERWAY	Project Date	Docket No.	Ref. LNM
MA/WEYMOUTH FORE RIVER	24 Jan 2004		52/03
MA/CT/RI/SEACOAST	23 Feb 2004	USCG-2003-16712	01/04
MA/WEYMOUTH FORE RIVER	24 Feb 2004		52/03
NY/HUDSON RIVER	01 Mar 2004		02/04

MA – BUZZARDS BAY - The Coast Guard is conducting a Waterway Analysis Review of the east side of Buzzards Bay to include Quisset Harbor, Buzzards Bay East Side, West Falmouth Harbor, Wild Harbor, Megansett Harbor, Southwest Ledge, Pocasset Harbor, and Phinneys Harbor Channel. Mariners and other concerned parties are invited to comment on the aids to navigation in these waterways. Any comments or recommended changes to aids to navigation in these waterways should be received no later than **31 May 2004** to be considered. Send comments to; Commander, U.S. Coast Guard Group Woods Hole, 1 Little Harbor Road, Woods Hole, MA 02543, ATTN: ENS Pare (508) 457-3232, E-MAIL: epare@gruwoodshole.uscg.mil
Chart 13230 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

MA – BUZZARDS BAY - The Coast Guard is conducting a Waterway Analysis Review of the north and west side of Buzzards Bay to include Buttermilk Bay, Onset Bay, Wareham River, Sippican Harbor, Round Cove, Whale Rock Aquaculture, Mattapoisett Harbor, Slocums River Entrance, and Westport Harbor. Mariners and other concerned parties are invited to comment on the aids to navigation in these waterways. Any comments or recommended changes to aids to navigation in these waterways should be received no later than **31 May 2004** to be considered. Send comments to; Commander, U.S. Coast Guard Group Woods Hole, 1 Little Harbor Road, Woods Hole, MA 02543, ATTN: ENS Pare (508) 457-3232, E-MAIL: epare@gruwoodshole.uscg.mil
Chart 13230 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

RI – NEWPORT HARBOR – Dredging will be done in the Travelift Basin from **22 – 31 January 2004**. The hours of operations will be 7:00 am – 7:00 pm. On scene will be a barge, tugboat and dump scow, that will be monitoring VHF channel 16.
Chart(s) 13221 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

NY – BELLPORT BAY TO SHINNECOCK BAY - The Coast Guard will be making the following change to Aids to Navigation on or about **15 April 2004**:

Change	Bellport Bay Lighted Buoy 1 (LLNR 30130) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Bellport Bay Lighted Buoy 6 (LLNR 30145) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Bellport Bay Lighted Buoy 11 (LLNR 30165) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Narrows Bay Lighted Buoy 6 (LLNR 30220) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Narrows Bay Lighted Buoy 9 (LLNR 30235) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 12 (LLNR 30293) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 15 (LLNR 30295) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 20 (LLNR 30320) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 23 (LLNR 30325) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 24 (LLNR 30330) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 29 (LLNR 30365) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 30 (LLNR 30370) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 31 (LLNR 30375) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change	Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 34 (LLNR 30385) nominal range to 2 nm.

Change Moriches Bay Lighted Buoy 37 (LLNR 30415) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change Shinnecock Bay Lighted Buoy 6 (LLNR 30660) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change Shinnecock Bay Lighted Buoy 9 (LLNR 30675) nominal range to 2 nm.
Change Shinnecock Bay Lighted Buoy 12 (LLNR 30690) nominal range to 2 nm.
 Chart(s) 12352 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

NY – HUDSON RIVER - The Coast Guard will be making the following changes to Aids to Navigation on or about **01 March 2004**:

Change Hudson River LB 2 (LLNR 37667) to “Replaced by LIB when endangered by ice.”
Change Hudson River LB 3 (LLNR 37669) to “Replaced by LIB when endangered by ice.”
 Chart(s) 12343 LNM 02/04 (CGD1).

VI PROPOSED CHANGES

This section contains notice of non approved, proposed projects open for comment. SPECIAL NOTE: Mariners are requested to respond in writing to: Commander, First Coast Guard District (oan), 408 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, MA 02110-3350, unless otherwise noted.

PROPOSED WATERWAY PROJECTS OPEN FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

WATERWAY	Closing	Docket No.	Ref. LNM
RI/NARRAGANSETT BAY	31 Jan 2004	01-03-021	51/03
MA/SEACOAST	15 Feb 2004	01-04-01	01/04
MA/HYANNIS TO NAUSET	30 Apr 2004	N/A	50/03
MA/MARTHAS VINEYARD AND NANTUCKET HARBOR	30 Apr 2004	N/A	50/03

NY-Shinnecock Bay- The Coast Guard is considering making the following changes to Aids to Navigation to facilitate navigation in this waterway:

Change Shinnecock Bay Lighted Buoy 21 (30820) to Shinnecock Bay Junction Lighted Buoy SI (30820) FL (2+1) G 6s.

Interested Mariners are strongly encouraged to comment on this proposal in writing, either personally or through their organization. All comments will be carefully considered and are requested prior to **23 February 2004** to facilitate the process. Refer to Docket No. 01-04-02. In addition to the address listed on the front cover, e-mail can be sent to: tldhoward@d1.uscg.mil and faxes to (617) 223-8073.

Chart(s) 12352 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

VII GENERAL

This section contains information of general concern to the mariner. Mariners are advised to use caution while transiting these areas.

SUMMARY OF EFFECTIVE DREDGING/CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS

The following is a listing of marine construction and dredging projects still in effect in the First District. All mariners are advised to use caution in these areas. The LNM REF column refers to the LNM in which the article first appears and where detailed information may be obtained. The dates listed for completion are tentative. An asterisk in the left margin marks new information.

LOCATION	SUBJECT	COMPLETION DATE	LNM REF
NY/NEW ROCHELLE HARBOR	Dredging	31 January 2004	40/03
NY/FIRE ISLAND INLET	Dredging	31 January 2004	47/03
NY/STATEN ISLAND/HOWLAND HOOK MARINE TERMINAL	Dredging	31 January 2004	47/03
RI/NARRAGANSETT BAY – PROVIDENCE RIVER	Dredging	31 January 2004	52/03
NJ/NEWARK BAY	Wharf improvements	January 2004	34/03
NJ/PORT NEWARK	Dredging	1 February 2004	51/03
MA/CHELSEA CREEK	Diving operations	15 February 2004	02/04
NY/NJ/NY HARBOR – UPPER BAY	Sediment samples	27 February 2004	02/04
NY/NJ/KILL VAN KULL	Dredging	February 2004	30/03
NY/ELIZABETHPORT REACH	Dredging	February 2004	47/03
NY/LONG ISLAND SOUND	Underwater construction	1 March 2004	47/03
NY/NEW YORK HARBOR/HUDSON RIVER	Pier replacement	April 2004	32/03
NY/ARTHUR KILL CHANNEL	Dredging	1 June 2004	27/03
NY/EAST RIVER	Constr of a temp FDR Dr. and repairs to existing one	June 2004	34/02
MA/BOSTON HARBOR	Dredging	27 June 2004	46/03
NY/HUDSON RIVER	Dredging	30 June 2004	46/03
RI/PROVIDENCE RIVER AND HARBOR	Dredging	15 October 2004	28/03
NY/EAST RIVER	Brooklyn Tunnel Maintenance	30 November 2004	35/03
NY/EAST BAY	Channel closure	Until further notice	17/03
US/SEACOAST	Cable laying	Until further notice	23/00
US/SEACOAST	Cable laying	Until further notice	46/00
MA/SALEM-MARBLEHEAD AND BEVERLY HBRS	Pipeline installation	Until further notice	43/02
RI/PROVIDENCE RIVER	Dredging	Until further notice	51/03

NY - FIRE ISLAND INLET - Due to heavy ice conditions in fire island inlet, the aids to Navigation in the area should be considered un -reliable.

Chart(s) 12352 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

MA - BOSTON HARBOR-WEYMOUTH FORE RIVER-Hazard to navigation- All aids in the vicinity of Weymouth Fore River may be unreliable due to excessive icing conditions. Mariners transiting the area are advised to use caution.
Chart(s) 13270 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

NY – FIRE ISLAND PINES – Dredging is being done in the vicinity offshore of Fire Island Pines until **2 February 2002**. The hours of operation are 7 days a week, 24 hours a week. On scene are the dredges R.N. WEEKS and B. E. LINDHOLM and an attendant plant. The dredge R.N. WEEKS can be reached on VHF channels 16 & 67. Mariners are requested to exercise care and reduce speed when transiting the area.
Chart(s) 13252 LNM ¾ (CGD1)

BRIDGE SECTION

BRIDGE	TYPE	WATERWAY	NM	SUBJECT	REF/LNM
Route 195	F	Providence River	2.5	Bridge Construction	46-03
Route 6 (Brightman St.)	B	Taunton River	1.8	New Bridge Construction	49-03
North Washington Bridge	F	Charles River	0.4	Channel Reduction	45-03
Route 88 Bridge	B	Westport River	1.2	Bridge Construction	51-03
I-95	F	Pequonock River	0.0	Bridge Replacement	48-03
Route 1 (Singing)	F	Patchogue River	0.6	Bridge Rehabilitation	03-04
Sikorsky (Route 15)	F	Housatonic River	7.0	Bridge Rehabilitation	43-03
Manhattan Bridge	F	East River	1.1	Rehabilitation/Vert. Clear. Red	02-04
Williamsburg Bridge	F	East River	2.3	Bridge Rehabilitation	46-03
Triborough Bridge	F	East River	7.8	Deck Repl./Vertical Clear. Red.	48-03
Throgs Neck Bridge	F	East River	15.8	Bridge Structural Repair	44-03
Bronx-Whitestone	F	East River	13.8	Bridge Rehabilitation	48-03
Bronx-Whitestone	F	East River	13.8	Scaffolding/Vert. Clearance Red.	02-04
Macombs Dam	SW	Harlem River	3.2	Bridge Rehabilitation	02-04
Third Avenue	SW	Harlem River	1.9	Bridge Replac./Channel Rest.	47-03
125 th Street	VL	Harlem River	1.3	Bridge Deck Replacement	49-03
Bear Mountain	F	Hudson River	46.7	Bridge Painting/Vert. Clear. Red	02-04
Tappan Zee	F	Hudson River	27.0	Bridge Painting/Scaffolding	01-04
Dutch Kills RR (DB)	SW	Dutch Kills	1.1	Bridge Closure	02-04
Whitestone Expressway	F	Flushing Riv er	0.2	Bridge Rehabilitation	49-03
Greenpoint Avenue	B	Newtown Creek	1.3	Bridge Painting	44-03
Marine Parkway	VL	Jamaica Bay	3.0	Horizontal Clear. Red.	46-03
Cross Bay Blvd	F	Jamaica Bay	10.0	Bridge Rehabilitation	03-04
Wantagh State Parkway	B	Sloop Channel	15.4	Bridge Replacement	48-03
Meadowbrook Parkway	B	Sloop Channel	12.8	Bridge Construction	47-03
Belt (Shore) Parkway	F	Paerdegat Basin	0.2	Emergency Repairs	48-03
Goethals	F	Arthur Kill	11.5	Sidewalk Repairs	02-04
Goethals	F	Arthur Kill	11.5	Bridge Painting/Scaffolding	47-03
Bayonne	F	Kill Van Kull	1.5	Bridge Rehabilitation	44-03
Pulaski Skyway	F	Hackensack River	2.2	Fender Repair	52-03
Route 7	B	Passaic River	8.9	Bridge Replacement	48-03
Route 7	B	Hackensack River	8.9	Fender Repair	50-03
NJ Transit RR	SW	Raritan River	0.5	Fender Repair	01-04
Victory (Route 35)	SW	Raritan River	1.6	New Bridge Construction	46-03
Route 9	F	Raritan River	2.1	Bridge Replacement	44-03
Driscoll (Garden State Pkwy)	F	Raritan River	2.2	Bridge Widening	46-03

\\KEY: F-Fixed SW-Swing R-River C-Canal CK-Creek B-Bascule VL-Vertical Lift
Ch-Channel Hbr-Harbor Th-Thoroughfare NM-Nautical mile.

APPLICATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED FOR COAST GUARD APPROVAL OF THE FOLLOWING BRIDGE DEVIATION AND REGULATION CHANGES:

BRIDGE/WATERWAY	MILE	33CFR Sect.	DEVIATION/RULE	EFF. DATE	REF/LNM
Long Beach/Reynolds Channel	4.7	117.799	Advance Notice/single leaf	7/1/03-4/30/04	28/03

APPLICATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED FOR COAST GUARD PERMIT FOR THE FOLLOWING BRIDGES:

BRIDGE	WATERWAY	MILE	NOTICE	COMMENT PERIOD	REF/LNM
Throgs Neck Bridge	East River	15.8	PN 1-013	23 February 2004	02-04

CT - LONG ISLAND SOUND - DUCK ISLAND TO MADISON REEF – PATCHOGUE RIVER – Bridge Replacement - Replacement of the Route 1 (Singing) Bridge across Patchogue River mile 0.6 at Westbrook, CT continues until further notice. Mariners are advised to exercise caution when transiting the area.
Chart 12374 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

NY – JAMAICA BAY AND ROCKAWAY INLET – NORTH CHANNEL - JAMAICA BAY – Bridge Rehabilitation – A barge with a man lift, a safety boat and a tugboat will be located at various points in the waterway along the Cross Bay Boulevard Bridge across (North Channel) Jamaica Bay, mile 10.0 to perform bridge repairs. Work hours are from 7: 00 a.m. through 3: 30 p.m. daily. Mariners are advised to plan accordingly, reduce wake and exercise caution when transiting the area.
Chart 12350 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

NY – LONG ISLAND SOUND – EAST RIVER – Bridge Modification – The U.S. Coast Guard has received an application for a bridge permit from the Metropolitan Transportation Authority. This application proposes the addition of 66 pier protection piles adjacent to various sub structural elements at the Throgs Neck Bridge across the East River between Queens and the Bronx, New York. Work will be performed at both the Queens and the Bronx ends of the bridge and will be outside the navigable channel. Comments on this proposal should be forwarded to the office of the Commander (obr), First Coast Guard District, Battery Park Bldg, One South Street, New York, NY 10004-5073 through **23 February, 2004**. Copies of the public notice which describes the proposal in detail can be obtained by writing to the above address or calling (212) 668-7165.
Chart 12366 LNM 03/04 (CGD1)

VIII LIGHT LIST CORRECTIONS

An asterisk *, indicates the column in which a correction has been made or new information added.

(1) No.	(2) Name and location	(3) Position	(4) Characteristic	(5) Ht	(6) Rng	(7) Structure	(8) Remarks
1575-	Buoy 16	44-35-59N 67-44-54W				Red nun.	Maintained from May 1 to Nov. 15. * 03/04
4580	Whitehead Light	43-58-43N 69-07-27W	Oc G 4s	75	10	Gray tower attached to red brick service room. 41	Emergency light of reduced intensity when main light is extinguished. HORN: 2 blasts ev 30s (2s bl- 2s si- 2s bl- 24s si) * 03/04
(Delete Header) *	26190- Narrows Channel Buoy CN13	40-58-13N 73-06-47W *				Green can.	Private aid. 03/04
(Delete Header) *	26191- Narrows Channel Buoy CN14					Red nun.	Private aid. 03/04